Alexandra Gazetie

THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 10.

LOCAL NEWS.

For this section easterly winds, fair weather, becoming slightly colder.

The brother of Cluverius yesterday presented a petition to the Governor asking for a respite for sixty days. This request is based upon the claim that some important facts not heretoforce brought to light can be established in the prisoner's favor. The petition also declares that the petitioner is informed that the jury on two occasions were furnished whiskey. The Governor has taken no action upon it yet, but it is thought that he will decline to interfere further. He received no less than a dozen letters yesterday relative to the case, some begging elemency and some asking that the sanence of the court be not interfered with. Once or twice yesterday Chuverius appeared to be bordering upon melancholy, but he soon drove off despondency, and was not at any time a dejected man. A number of reports were in circulation in relation to a confession. One that gained most notoriety was that he has left a blank chapter in his book and has given to an intimate friend a scaled cavelope in which he has some written matter to be inserted after his death in this blank. This report cannot be substantiated. He has a number of pages of written matter the contents of which he has not made public. His book is now finished and is in the hands of Mr. S. J. Dudley, who will supervise its publication. It is entitled "My Life, Trial, &c., by Thomas J. Cluverius," and an advertisem ant of the work appears elsewhere in our columns.

It was expected that his parsnts would have visited Richmond to have taken a final farewell of him yesterday, but they failed to arrive during the day. Cluverius said yesterday: "I do not see how they can get here. The health of both of them is too had, and they are too feeble to venture out in such weather. I am afraid that if they were to come over that it would endanger their lives."

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A letter received at this office to-day from Richmond, written last night says, "the impression here is that the Governor will not again inter-fere, though there are all sorts of rumors."

Missing.-Mr. Thomas A. Broadus has reported to the police headquarters in this city and in Washington that a relative of his, named John F. Broaddus, who recently came here on a visit, had left his home on Tuesday and had not since been seen, and asked for police assistance in finding him. Mr. Broaddus came here about two weeks since from Florida, broken down in health and impaired in mind, caused by grief over the death of a nephew who had been living with him in Florida. He was staying at the residence of Mr. T. A. Broadus, on the corner of Queen and St. Asaph streets, where he was baing pared for but on Taxon where he was being eared for, but on Tues day, about noon, left the house, unseen without his overcoat, and wandered away. At last accounts nothing of his whereabouts

U. S. COURTS.—Both Courts met this morning at 11 a. m., Judge R. W. Hughes

presiding.

The grand jury presented an indictment against Chas, Murray, endorsed "not a true bill" and were discharged.

The case of Richard B. Posey vs. the steam tug Comet and W. R. Taylor, which was partially heard on yesterday, was conclud-ed and submitted. Decision will be rendered to-morrow.

The petit jury was adjourned until tomorrow.

Both courts were adjourned until to-mor-row at 10 o'clock.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was clear and cold with four lodgers but no prisoners at The Mayor this morning disposed of the

following cases: Anna Williams, colored, charged by Jen-nie Jones, also colored, with obtaining mo-ney on the pretext of burying a child of the latter, was sent to the work house for ten

days. A resident of the Third ward charged with keeping a vicious dog was fined \$1.

FUNERAL.-The fune ral of the late Thos. Downey took place from St. Mary's Church this morning and was largely attended. High Mass was said by Rev. Father O'Kane. the residence of the deceased, in the "Village," last night, a wake was held over the remains, which was largely attended, among those present being many who knew Mr. Downey in the old country.

BANK OFFICERS RE-ELECTED .- At a meeting of the directors of the Citizens' National Bank held this morning, Mr. John B. Smoot was re elected president, and all the other officers were also re elected. The directors of the First National Bank

have re-elected Mr. S. F. Beach president and all the old officers.

Corporation Court—Judge N. B. Meade presiding.—Wibert vs. Beach; motion for re ceiver; case postponed until July.

Com. vs. Baker, indicted for horse steal-

ing; continued until February term. The cases set for trial to day were con

tinued till Saturday,
Court adjourned till to-morrow merning.

Tour OF INSPECTION -Col. Robert An drews, superintendent, C. F. Dabney, mas ter transportation, H. M. Smith, master machinist, F. J. Cabell, superintendent of buildings, and J. A. Perry, road master, officers of the Virginia Midland road, left here yesterday for Danville on a special

MASTER RALPH BINGHAM, who is to ap pear here to-morrow and Saturday, was born December 24, 1870, in Virginia. He resided in Richmond with his parents until May, 1879, and attended the public school there, retaining in his memory everything he heard or saw, and reproducing it with phenomenal mimic effect. He excited the curiosity and interest of his teachers, puzzled the minds of those who had made the anatomy of the brain their constant study, presenting to them a curious and perplexing anomaly without intelligent solution. The discussion of this remarkable boy in the newspapers of Richmond and throughout the State attracted the attention of the people, and created in them a desire to see and hear him. His parents were at last prevailed upon to consent to his appearance in public. Consequently, June 14th, 1877, at the age of six years and six months, he made his first appearance in public in the Richmond Theatre, before an audience of three thousand people. This entertainment was followed up by twenty-three succeeding exhibitions, given to crowded houses, under the auspices of various church and other societies. Coming North, in May, 1879, he filled engagements in Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Albany, Troy (appearing seventeen times in the city

The water main which burst on Queen street Tuesday night has been repaired.

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and appreciative audiences, including much of the wealth, culture and intelligence of the country. He is, physically and mentally,

picture of health, having never had a mo-

THE CANAL STOCK .- The committee ap pointed by the City Conneil on Tuesday night—Messis, Bryant, Strauss, Brent, Uh ler at d the Mayor—to petition Congress to be released from further litigation concernoclock. ing the stock held by the city in the Alex-andria canal, met at the Citizens' Bank today, when Mayor Smoot was chosen chairman. The committee was enlarged by the appointment of Messrs. C. E. Stuart, J. M. Johnson and D. A. Windsor, and the two former were appointed to prepare the petition to be presented to Congress at as early a date as possible.

RESIGNATIONS TENDERED. — Yesterday Lt. Col. Tazewell Ellett and Capt. Henry M. Boykin, both of the First Virginia Regiment, tendered their resignations to the Governor. It is learned that the cause of their action was that they felt aggrieved at Col. Hains, in not having been called upon to go to New-

PROPERTY SALE - Mr. B. B. Smith has sold to Mr. Charles Lennon the brick building on the east side of St. Asaph street be-tween King and Prince, formerly the Star engine house for \$800 cash. Mr. Smith bought this building from the city a few years since for \$700.

SCHOONER CHARTERED.—The schooner Clytic, which is now at Messrs. W. A. Smoot & Co.'s wharf, has been chartered to load cooperage at Occoquan for Cuba, anfi as soon as the ice in the river will permit will preceed to Occoquan.

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Rev. L. D. Southworth, of Elkton, Md. will preach at the Free Methodist Church to-night and to-morrow night at 7:30

Mrs. Little gave her calisthenic class a little dance at Sarepta Hall last night which was well attended, and all present enjoyed a pleasant evening.

Mrs. Bridget Carroll, wife of Mr. Owen E. Carroll, died at her home on the corner of Columbus and Wolfe streets yesterday evening at 6 o'clock in the 65th year of her

The County School Board met this morning. Mr. H. H. Young was elected clerk, vice Benj. Austin, removed. Some routine business was transacted and the treasurer's

Col. Hains, in his report to the chief of engineers of the operations for improving the Washington river front, states that noth ng can be done by the hydraulic dredges while the ice is so heavy.

Yesterday during a recess of the grand jury, now in attendance on the U.S. Court in this city, a sense of the members was taken as to the guilt or innocence of Chuverius and it is said all but one were in favor of commuting his seatence.

The Union meeting at the Second Pres byterian Church last night was largely attended, and short, but interesting addresses were delivered by Revs. J. M. Nourse and Samuel Rodgers. The meeting to night will be held in the M. E. Church South

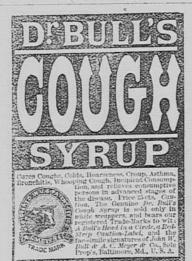
Mr. Frank Hume, of the county, will give a dinner this evening at his home to a number of Virginians. Among the guests will be Deputy Collectors Monroe and Newhouse, of the Alexandria district; Mr. S. G. Brent; United States Marshal T. W. Scott; John H. Oberly and A. A. Chapman, of Richmond; W. Stanard Chapman, of Orange, Assistant United States District Attorney Lyons, and others.

Mr. Elijah B. White, of the firm of E. B. White & Bro., and Miss Rosa L., only daughter of Mrs. Jane A. Pancoast, of Leesburg, were married yesterday. The ushers were Thos. Swann, G. Mason Chichester, Rebt. B. Wildman and C. L. Pollock, and the bridemaids and groomsmen Misses Laura DeLoney and Flora Fox-A. B. Dow-ell and Benj. V. White; Misses Gracie Carter and Jane Hoffman-W. W. Chamblin and Bolling Robertson; Misses Katie Wild-men and Annie Beutly-E. B. Harrison and

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